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**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

**LS 6185**

**BILL NUMBER: SB 232**

**NOTE PREPARED: Jan 28, 2006**

**BILL AMENDED: Jan 26, 2006**

**SUBJECT:** Jury Service Exemptions.

**FIRST AUTHOR:** Sen. Gard

**FIRST SPONSOR:**

**BILL STATUS:** CR Adopted - 1<sup>st</sup> House

**FUNDS AFFECTED:**     **GENERAL  
DEDICATED  
FEDERAL**

**IMPACT:** No Fiscal Impact

**Summary of Legislation:** (Amended) This bill has the following provisions:

- A. It eliminates automatic exemptions from jury service.
- B. It permits a person called for jury service to receive one deferral for up to one year if the juror selects an alternate date and the deferral is necessary due to hardship, extreme inconvenience, or necessity.
- C. It protects a person called for jury service from being subjected to adverse employment actions.
- D. It prohibits employers from requiring or requesting employees to use annual vacation or sick leave for jury service.
- E. It repeals a provision concerning jury service exemptions in Lake County.

**Effective Date:** July 1, 2006.

**Explanation of State Expenditures:**

**Explanation of State Revenues:**

**Explanation of Local Expenditures:**

**Explanation of Local Revenues:**

**State Agencies Affected:**

**Local Agencies Affected:**

**Information Sources:**

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